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An Evening Echo.

Read not to contradict and confuse, nor to believe and take for granted, nor to find talk and discourse, but to weigh and consider.—BACON.

Changed Democracy.

The Democratic party, it must be said, has altered its faith in so many respects that it is difficult to recognize it. It is no longer the party of Jefferson and Jackson, it is no longer the party of the Houston Post, a Democratic newspaper. Its trend toward centralism, its waning fidelity to the representative system it created, its restrictive attitude toward individual liberty, its abandonment of the old-time view of frugal and simple government are but a few of the changes which have occurred.

In view of what has taken place in the party of Jefferson, one might well ask, what would a change to modified protection amount to compared with the abandonment of the great ideals that made the Democracy distinctive?

A Remarkable Showing.

A thing more commented upon than any other connected with the Republican state convention held at Wheeling last week was the phenomenal strength shown by F. Hite, candidate for United States senator, and the general favor with which his candidacy was received.

A survey of the convention crowd proved that he has his followers in every county, and that they comprise every order of citizenship. They came from the coal counties, the lumber counties, the farming counties, the oil counties and the manufacturing and commercial centers. This condition merely bore out what had been claimed for Mr. Hite by his friends—that is, that his candidacy had a breadth of appeal which attached to no other, and that he was being hailed with favor in every section of West Virginia. It is undeniably true that Mr. Hite, by evidence the strongest, was much stronger after having met the convention delegates and visitors and made their acquaintance.

Mr. Hite is offering the people what they want this year—a plain, capable, unassuming business man, in intelligent sympathy with business and in complete and friendly sympathy with labor. Without resorting to the tricks of the politicians, he wins friendship and favor wherever he goes.

If anybody doubted that Hite was first in the popular race, the doubt was dispelled during the big convention. Nobody who read the signs of the times in that remarkable gathering was left in doubt as to what would be the outcome.

Reconciling Your Bank Account.

If you keep a checking account with a bank it is important both to you and to the bank to know that your accounts agree. Errors are liable to be made on both sides. A deposit that should have gone to one with a similar name, and likewise a check may have been wrongly charged against your account. Forgeries may have been committed through your checks, and errors incidental to keeping a large number of accounts are always possible. It becomes important, therefore, to frequently adjust your balance with that of the bank, both for the sake of protection and for the sake of accuracy.

A great many banks balance the pass book when left for this purpose, by listing on the adding machine the paid checks, deducting the amount from the total of the deposits, the difference representing the amount on deposit. Other banks now issue a monthly statement in the form of a typed sheet, containing all deposits, made and checks paid, with the balance struck. This obviates the necessity of balancing the pass book, which becomes merely a memorandum of deposits made.

Whatever the method, you should not delay reconciling the balance. It is easily to be seen that the bank's balance will not agree with your check book, by reason of the fact that you have issued checks which may not have been presented for payment. It is a good plan to consider every check issued as immediately paid, and deducted from your bank balance. If you do this, you will never be deceived as to the condition of your account.

Number all checks consecutively and when returned from the bank arrange them numerically, and check them as to amount with the check book stubs. After you have ascertained what checks you have issued that have not been paid, subtract the amount from the balance shown by the bank, which should agree with your own balance. If any difference occurs, after assuring yourself that you are right, report the matter at once to the bank.

It is well to examine the checks returned to see that they are all signed by you and that the amounts have not been raised, the latter being proved from the checking process above noted. If you will follow these simple directions, and see that your ac-

count is reconciled at least every sixty days, it will help both you and the bank officials, for they desire frequent reconciliations and do not care to have vouchers accumulate for a long period.

Lodge Sounds the Keynote.

True Americanism is the keynote of the speech which Senator Lodge delivered at Lynn, Mass. He is in the best position to criticize the administration for on every occasion when patriotic duty called upon him to forget party and to support a president of opposite political faith, he answered the call. Without hesitation he has given his vote to President Wilson whenever the latter has moved in the right direction and in the right manner to the defense of American rights. He therefore may justly criticize Mr. Wilson for often hanging back, turning back, hesitating and using words where the occasion demanded deeds.

Mr. Lodge's review of Mr. Wilson's Mexican policy, of his handling of the submarine controversy and of his change of front on preparedness reveals unerringly the weak point in the president's policy. He has kept the peace by "failure to protect Americans in their rights everywhere, by land and sea." He has kept the peace by submitting to "any wrong, to any outrage, to any oppression." He has kept it by the sacrifice of honor and at the cost of humiliation.

The president has kept the peace but he has not kept the faith of the men who fought in the Revolution and the Civil wars, for the peace he has kept has been "clouded and darkened by humiliation and surrender." Truer words were never said than that the life of a nation depends not on the preservation of our individual lives, but on the preservation of its ideals, and that the nation which abandons these is dead, even if its citizens live on in a country where honor, hope and aspiration have fled.

The task set before the Republican party is to bring home to the people the truth of Mr. Lodge's words and to make the principles which he sets forth the guide to its policy. Then the spirit which moved the men of Concord, Yorktown and Gettysburg will inspire the people to place men in charge of the nation's affairs who, while striving to preserve peace, will place honor first.

Robinson Sure to Win.

The state primary campaign enters upon the last month in its career and the lines in the Republican gubernatorial contest are becoming definitely drawn. The people have weighed both candidates in the balance; they have put their claims for suffrage to the acid test; they have compared their pledges for the future with their records of the past and they have drawn their conclusions. The result of those conclusions is that Judge Ira E. Robinson will be nominated by a majority which will stand as a high-water mark in West Virginia politics for many years.

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He bases his claim for suffrage upon his record as a steadfast Republican and conscientious public official. His promises square perfectly with his record. The people know that every pledge Judge Robinson makes will be kept. His past acts are his guarantee.

Mr. Hite's rise to political power on the other hand, was achieved by means that have elicited criticism which reflects no credit on the reputation of the attorney general. Now to achieve further elevation, he is showing an amazing willingness to let the Republican party go to pot. To attain his end he is attacking the Republican administration, the Republican legislature and everyone identified with the party, who is not aligned with him. In addition to that, he has sold out body, boots and baggage to the hydro-electric and other corporate interests that are trying to grab all the natural resources of West Virginia, tap it of its wealth and at the same time escape the payment of a fair amount of taxes for the upkeep of the institutions necessary to the maintenance of the commonwealth.

Mr. Hite's claims have been weighed and found wanting. His promises have been tested and found spurious. His record has been examined and found far from unimpaired. As a climax, his connection with the plundering interests are cited as the crowning consideration that would eliminate him as a gubernatorial possibility.

Judge Robinson's immaculate record, standing out in striking contrast makes him the logical choice of the party and it is universally conceded that nowhere, in any party could a candidate be found who measures up so completely, so thoroughly and so perfectly to the requirements of an ideal governor as Judge Ira E. Robinson, of Taylor county.

LIFE'S LITTLE LIES.

"Yes, dear."

LIGHT OCCUPATION.

Looking for the knee on the leg of a chair.

IT TAKES YOU OUT INTO THE OPEN AIR.

"Fire!"

Whooping Cough.

One of the most successful preparations in use for this disease is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. S. W. McClinton, Blandon Springs, Ala., writes: "Our baby had whooping cough as bad as most any baby could have it. I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it soon got him well." Obtainable everywhere.—Advertisement.

HIGHLAND SAYS ALL IS LOVELY

National Committeeman Sees a Republican Victory Ahead in This State.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—There will be no trouble about the delegates chosen at the delegate conventions held in West Virginia last week being promptly seated at the Republican national convention to be held in Chicago next month, according to National Committeeman Virgil L. Highland. The Clarksburg banker-politician, who spent a few hours in Washington, talked like one who knew what he was talking about. Mr. Highland holds that the seven delegate conventions were representative enough of party sentiment in the state to entitle the delegates nominated or "suggested" to the voters to the primary, to warrant their credentials being promptly issued to them. The convention, itself, acting itself or through the national committee or the committee on credentials, is the supreme judge of its membership, and West Virginia will, according to Mr. Highland, be legally and properly represented on the floor of the convention when National Chairman Hillis raps for "order" on the morning of June 7.

Although here for a short time, and busy on important business during the hours of his stay, National Committeeman Highland was showered with congratulations by his Washington friends. His election to succeed himself in the position which he has just vacated, was warmly endorsed by the delegates to the national convention to re-elect him a member of the national committee to serve the ensuing four years. According to reports from all sections of the state, the Wheeling convention did not act that met with heartier approval from the rank and file. Highland is widely known by Republican voters, highly esteemed by them, and popularly liked. He is one of the few political leaders in the state of whom it has been frequently declared that it affects his personal relationships less than is usually the case when he finds himself arrayed at times against leaders with whom upon other occasions he fought side by side.

The important business which National Committeeman Highland has in hand now, and which will keep him engaged and somewhat worried up until the time the "big show" at Chicago opens, is arranging for the comfortable transportation of West Virginians to Chicago, their hotel accommodations at the hotel selected for the headquarters of the state's delegates, supplying the delegates and alternates with the tickets and badges to which they are entitled, and trying to secure

entrance to the convention hall for as many West Virginia Republicans as it is possible for him by hook and crook and the powerful influence of his position on the committee to get tickets for. This last is the part of the job that he already confesses has him worried. The reason is that already three or four times as many requests have been made on him for tickets of admission as he can under the most favorable circumstances comply with. As a matter of fact, there never were so many West Virginia Republicans who wanted to attend a national convention of their party as there are this year. By the same token there will be more disappointed than ever before. There isn't the faintest chance of the supply of tickets that Mr. Highland can secure for West Virginians coming anywhere near squaring with the demand. "I'll do the best I can," he declared, adding as an after thought—"and angels can do no more."

Discussing political affairs in the state, Mr. Highland said: "I have no doubt as to the result of the election in the state next November. West Virginia will give a substantial plurality for the Republican candidates—state, congressional and for president. I believe we shall elect six members of the House, a United States senator and the governor. We are having a very spirited contest now among the Republican candidates for governor and the senate, but when the nominations are made there will be no bitterness, and the Republicans will line up a united organization."

"There is no basis in the report that Governor Hatfield has recently declared his preference for Justice Hughes. Some months ago the governor suggested that he would prefer Hughes, but he has not, according to my best information, made any declaration since the state convention regarding a preference."

"In West Virginia the national issue of greatest importance in the next election will be a high protective tariff. West Virginia is a protection state because of its vast coal resources, its lumber, tin plate, glass and pottery interests. We produced last year more glass than any other individual section in the world, I believe. Our coal deposits are enormous, our forests among the most important in this country, while in recent years we have taken a leading place in the manufacture of tin plate and pottery. Necessarily we are deeply interested in the tariff, and the people are for that party that protects our interests."

"As a secondary issue, we are for 'preparedness,' and the Democratic party is foremost on this issue, notwithstanding the efforts of the Wilson administration and the Democrats to make it their own."

KINGS DAUGHTERS AND SONS MEETING

In Third Biennial Convention in Burlington, Ia., Which Will Last Five Days.

BURLINGTON, Ia., May 11.—Delegates and visitors from all sections of the United States and Canada assembled here today for the opening session of the third biennial convention of the International Order of Kings Daughters and Sons. The convention will continue through May 15.

Mrs. Anthony H. Evans, president of the organization, who was to preside at all meetings of the order, declared that reports of officers would indicate utmost prosperity and successful endeavor on the part of the members since the close of the last convention two years ago.

Today's session of the convention was merely perfunctory. It included

a meeting of members of the central council, made up of members from New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, California, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Missouri, Michigan, Mississippi, New Hampshire, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Texas, Tennessee, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Montreal, New Brunswick, Ontario, British Columbia, and Prince Edward Island, and the registration of delegates.

Friday's session of the convention was to include the reports of officers and of the resolutions committee and the committee on announcements.

The formal ballot for the officers and central council for the coming two years will be taken Saturday, but aside from this the convention session will be chiefly social.

The final reports of committees and action thereon will be taken Monday morning and the announcement of the

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In sprinkling streets each water taker must confine himself to the number of feet mentioned in his permit. Nozzles larger than one-fourth inch will not be permitted, except upon additional charge, and sprinkling without a nozzle is forbidden.

Sprinkling streets and lawns is restricted to two hours per day, one hour between five and ten a. m. and one hour between five and eight p. m. If a street sprinkler or hose is found out of order, leaking or used for any other purpose than that for which it is intended, the supply will be discontinued without previous notice.

In deference to the general interest the use of a hose is strictly prohibited during the continuance of a fire, or while the fire pressure is maintained, except to protect property in danger of burning.

Patrons who are paying for a sprinkling privilege will not be required to renew their permit. There is no fractional part of a sprinkling season which runs from June 1st, to September 1st, inclusive.

CLARKSBURG WATER WORKS & SEWERAGE BOARD.

ballot taken Saturday will be made.

The convention will close Monday night.

Included in the list of speakers at the various sessions are the following:

Mrs. Anthony H. Evans, of New York, president of the order; Mrs. M. M. Williamson, of West Virginia; Dr. E. E. Colquhoun, of Michigan; Mr. C. A. Stuart, of Kentucky; Mrs. S. P. Christian, of West Virginia; Mrs. Emma Glazebrook, of Missouri; Mrs. Jennie C. Benedict, of Kentucky; Mrs. Robert McLaurin, of Mississippi; Mrs. Sara Goble, Ohio; Mrs. M. S. Savage, Ontario; Miss Margaret Hardinge, of Illinois; Mrs. Elizabeth Harvey Whitmore, Topeka, Kas.; Miss Abbie Fiskem, New Hampshire; Mrs. M. C. Cronin, Michigan; and Dr. Herbert L. Willett, of the University of Chicago.

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ANALYSIS.			
Number of bacteria in	Bacillus coli present in		
1.0 c.c.	0.1 c.c.	1.0 c.c.	10 c.c.
River water 1100	x	x	x
City water 1	0	0	0

EXPLANATION.

C. C.—Cubic centimeter, (about a thimbleful). Bacillus coli—

Intestinal germ. X—Present. 0—Absent. Rainfall .02

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Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Education, of Union District, Harrison County, West Virginia, until two o'clock P. M. May 18th, 1916, for the construction of alterations and additions to a public school building at West Milford, Harrison County, West Virginia.

Plans and specifications are on file at the office of the Secretary, L. R. McMillan, Lost Creek, R. F. D. No. 1, at the Public School Building at West Milford, and also at the offices of the Architects, S. W. Ford & Company, No. 701 Prunty Bldg., Clarksburg, West Virginia, where they may be examined and figured during working hours by persons desiring to submit bids.

Bids to be sealed and addressed to L. R. McMillan, Lost Creek, R. F. D. No. 1, and marked "Bid on School Building," and must be in his hands not later than Two O'clock P. M. May 18th, 1916.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a satisfactory bond, equal to double the amount of the contract. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD.

PIERCE S. BURTON,

President Board of Education.

L. R. McMillan,

Secretary Board of Education.

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